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**Railroad Case—Decision of the Court of Appeals of Virginia.**

Stevens and Phelps vs. Davidson and others is the well-known case of the Washington, Alexandria and Georgetown Railroad Company. The capital stock of this company was \$500,000, and spurious stock was issued and sold to the amount of \$800,000; and this is the fraudulent transaction referred to in the decision of the Court.

STEVENS AND PHELPS VS. DAVIDSON AND OTHERS.

This is a suit in equity instituted by Joseph Davidson, a stockholder in the Washington, Alexandria and Georgetown Railroad Company, on behalf of himself and all the other stockholders, except the Directors, to set aside a lease of said road for ten years made in May, 1866, by the Board of Directors of said Company to Stevens and Phelps. Judge Thomas, of the Circuit Court of Alexandria, made an order declaring the lease illegal and void, enjoining the lessors from further working the said railroad under the lease, furthering the President and Directors of the Company from acting as such, and appointing Wm. H. Marbury, receiver, to take charge of and manage the said road, subject to the order of the Court. This order was affirmed by the District Court at Fredericksburg, and was also affirmed by the Court of Appeals, with the exception of so much of it as enjoins the President and Directors from acting as such. The following is the opinion and decree of the Court of Appeals:

The Court, without deciding whether or not it would have been competent to the stockholders of the Washington, Alexandria and Georgetown Railroad Company to make such a lease of their railroad as that in the proceedings mentioned, which is a question that does not arise in this case, is of opinion that it was not competent for the Board of Directors of the said company, without the sanction of a lawful meeting of the stockholders, to make the lease in the proceedings mentioned. 1. Because a Board of Directors of a railroad company have no authority to make such a lease under the powers vested in such a Board by law. 2. Because the said lease was in contravention of the sixth article of the by-laws of the said company, which provides that no contract shall be made "involving the franchise of said road, except the same be approved by a general meeting representing a majority of the stockholders." The Court being of opinion that while the said lease does not involve the essential franchise of the said company to be a corporation, it does involve the franchise to take tolls upon the work of said company, which comes within the meaning of "the franchise of said road," as expressed in the said by-law. And the Court is further of opinion, that although by the eighteenth article of the by-laws of said company authority is given to the Board of Directors to alter or amend any of the said by-laws, the said Board had no authority under the said by-law or otherwise to disregard or to alter the said provision of the sixth article, which was intended to impose a limitation upon the powers of the Board of Directors.

The Court is further of opinion that the said lease having been made by the Board of Directors, two of whom had been concerned in the fraudulent issue of a very large amount of spurious stock, greatly exceeding in amount the lawful stock of the company, having been made on the very day on which the regular term of office of said Directors was to expire, and on which the annual meeting of the stockholders should regularly have been held, and when the said Board of Directors had failed to issue the call, which it was their duty to issue for the said meeting—being made to two persons in the employment of said company, one of whom had been an agent to some extent in the issue of a large amount of such spurious stock, and securing to the said lessors a clear profit, except the amount payable for taxes, to the extent of one-half the gross earnings of said company during the term of the said lease, besides the sum of seven thousand dollars per annum to be paid by the Adams Express Company under a previous contract with the said railroad company, and expenses of said company, except the taxes, upon the share of the gross earnings reserved to the said company—the same must be regarded as a fraud upon the rights of the stockholders, and that this conclusion is not repelled by the statement that the said lease was made after consultation with a majority of the stockholders and with their approval; because, 1st, it does not appear whether the stockholders thus consulted were the holders of the genuine stock or spurious stock; and 2d, the approval of stockholders thus informally obtained could have no legal force or effect.

The Court is therefore of opinion that the said lease is null and void, and should be so declared upon the final hearing of this cause.

The Court is further of opinion that while for the reasons assigned in the case of Gardner vs. The London, Chatham and Dover Railway Company—2 Law Reports (chancery appeals) 201—a court of chancery will be reluctant to appoint a receiver to take charge of and manage a railroad, it is competent to do so when such a course is indispensable to secure the rights of the legitimate stockholders and to prevent a failure of justice. And the Court is of opinion that under the circumstances of this case it was proper for the court to appoint a receiver to take charge of and manage the said railroad until it can be ascertained by a proper inquiry to be made in this cause who are the legitimate stockholders of said company, to whom the custody and management of said railroad should be committed. And the Court is of opinion that it is not made to appear that the Circuit Court erred in not appointing the lessors the receivers to manage the said railroad during the pendency of this cause.

But the Court is of opinion that it was not proper to enjoin Robert W. Latham, Joseph B. Stewart, Samuel M. Shocman, Oscar A. Stevens, and J. Dean Smith, from acting as directors and officers of said railroad company, or doing any act as such, such an order being necessary to accomplish the object of the present order. The Court is therefore of opinion that the said order of the Circuit

Court be amended by striking therefrom the order of injunction last mentioned, and that the said order be amended be affirmed, and that the appellants pay to the appellees their costs, &c.—Rich. Dispatch.

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mh 24—4f

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sep 17

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je 24

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je 27

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my 20—colm

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je 27

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ap 21—4f

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ap 18—4f

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mar 10—4f

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my 28—4f

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my 9—4f

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fe 26

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ap 14—4f

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mar 26—4f

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feb 15—4f

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3 yards New York Mills Cotton..... 30  
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je 22

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Richmond, Va. 18—2aw6m

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je 4

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ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
feb 15—4f

**JAMES B. HODGKIN,**  
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WASHINGTON ST., NEAR KING,  
(Near of Milburn's Drug store.)  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
feb 12

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nov 20—4f

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All work guaranteed to give satisfaction.  
July 4—4f

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and for style, convenience and beauty of arrangement, is acknowledged to be superior.

ITS FURNITURE  
is new and complete, and for cleanliness, it is proverbial.

The subscriber, after more than twenty years' experience in the business, thinks he risks nothing in saying that this Hotel shall, in every respect, be  
EQUAL TO ANY IN THE SOUTH,  
and asks the patronage of his friends and the public generally. JOHN P. BALLARD,  
Proprietor.  
RICHMOND, mar 19—4f

**DISSOLUTION OF COPARTNERSHIP.**  
The partnership heretofore existing between the subscribers under the firm name of JAS. W. NALLS & CO., in the Hardware Store, at the northwest corner of King and Columbus streets, and in the Sash and Blind Factory, at the northeast corner of Fairfax and Queen sts., Alexandria, Va., was dissolved on the 8th inst. Mr. F. PETER G. UELLET is authorized to collect all monies due the late firm, and parties indebted are requested to make payment to him as early as practicable. Parties having claims against the firm will please present them for settlement. Mr. Uhler may be found at No. 21, north Union street.

The HARDWARE STORE will heretofore be carried on by JAMES W. NALLS, and the FACTORY by THOS. RISHEILL and HENRY F. HOOGE.  
JAMES W. NALLS,  
THOMAS RISHEILL,  
HENRY HOOGE.  
Alexandria, Va., April 21, 1868—4f

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**ARCTIC SODA WATER.**  
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